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In the Brief Description of Figures:

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Figures 7, 8 and 10 were described in the original application.

The original Brief Description of the Figures on page 15 refers to Figures 7A-7C. There is no Figure 7C. The text has now been amended to read Figures 7A-7B.

The original Brief Description of the Figures on page 15 refers to Figure 8. Figure 8 is a multi-page figure with 76 parts. The text has now been amended to read Figures 8-1 to 8-76.

The original Brief Description of the Figures on page 15 refers to Figure 10. Figure 10 is a two-part figure with parts 10A and 10B. The text has now been amended to read Figures 10A-10B.

In the Figures:

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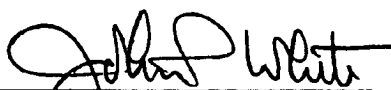
Figure 6/85 was included in the original application. The drawings in Figure 6/85 have not been changed, the only change to the Figure being the addition of the text labels "6A", "6B" and "6C". These text labels make Figure 6/85 more easily understood by the reader.

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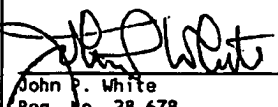
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Figures 7A-7C. Electrostatic and carbohydrate surfaces of SCF and homology-modeled receptor Kit. (Fig. 7A) Electrostatic surface of SCF and worm of D2D3(Kit). (Fig. 7B) Electrostatic surface of Kit and worm of SCF. ~~(Fig. 8C)~~ Negative potential is colored red and positive potential, blue, with greatest saturations at -10 and +10kT, respectively. Carbohydrate moieties are represented by CPK models of a β -D-N-acetylglucose (green for SCF moieties and yellow for potential Kit moieties. Figures were drawn by the program GRASP (Nicholls et al., 1991).

8-1 to 8-76

Figure 8. X-ray crystallographic coordinates of truncated stem cell factor molecule comprising amino acids 1-141 of a human SCF polypeptide.

Figure 9. Suggested renaming of the waters of the X-ray crystallographic coordinates set forth in Figure 8.

10A-10B

Figure 10. Design for a double-headed SCF ligand analog. (10A) General model (10B) Embodiment of the ligand head as an oligopeptide. The compound is the conjugation of a linker molecule with two ligand-head molecules. Each ligand head

Figure 6

